

FOURTH EXHIBITION

of the Lorne Agricultural Society.

As briefly noticed in last week's Times, the fourth annual exhibition of the Lorne Agricultural Society was held on Thursday, 29th ult. This vigorous society, which justly claims to have the most important exhibition in the North West Territories, on this occasion offered over \$10,000 in prizes, including three valuable silver cups. The exhibition was held under the most favorable auspices in respect of weather, the day being one of the most brilliant of the splendid fall—and the population of the town and immediate neighborhood turned out in large numbers to enjoy the occasion. Numerous visitors were also present from the outlying districts, and yet we remarked that many supporters of the society were conspicuous by their absence. This was much regretted on all hands, and for more than one reason, but was easily accounted for by the simple fact that the harvest this year owing to the copiousness of the summer rains and consequent protraction of the period of growth, was somewhat later than usual. From the same cause, there has also been a very heavy crop which has required much time to manipulate. Many of the more extensive farmers were, up till the show day, still busy with their stacking; and looking to the advanced period of the season and the extremely limited supply of available assistance, were unwilling to stop work on such a fine work day and so had reluctantly to abandon the exhibition and stay at home. The attendance of members and exhibitors was thus smaller than had been expected and the effect on more than one branch of the exhibition was quite appreciable. But the drawback was especially noticeable as may well be supposed in one department, namely the show of grain. Threshing, which is now in full swing throughout the whole district, was on the day of the exhibition, only in a manner commencing and so far as we could ascertain not one of the more extensive farmers had then finished. The result was, only three exhibits were forwarded, all of which had been sown out for the occasion and were in no sense representative of the large and excellent crop of grain in the district. Had it been found possible to postpone the exhibition for a week or two the result would have been very different. It was on the whole considered inadvisable to interfere with the date for this year, as it had been fixed and published about three months in advance. There is a general feeling that next year's exhibition should be arranged for about ten days later. As it was, there were two entries for the H. B. C. cup, and to the collection shown by Mr. Caswell, which was the better cleaned of the two, the cup was awarded. But the same sample of wheat shown in the collection that took the cup was adjudged second when it was shown against the only other sample forward, which was from Board's reserve and was of very fair quality. And thus the first prize for wheat at the show goes to the Indians under the patronage of Mr. Louis Marion of Duck Lake, whom we congratulate on the success of his protégés.

But even with this drawback—the show of grain being almost a blank—the total number of entries in all the departments was larger and the separate exhibitors more numerous than ever before. This is most gratifying, and when in addition to the fact that the membership this year shows a large increase speaks volumes for the management and the growing interest taken in the society's doings. The important classes of cattle, horses and sheep there was a very excellent one each, and the herds of valuable cattle brought on the ground by Messrs. Thompson Brothers, Mr. C. Robertson, Mr. R. Pritchard and other eminent breeders were quite a treat to skilled onlookers, while the large and varied display of equine beauties was no less appreciated by connoisseurs in horseflesh. The collection of sheep was also decidedly superior to anything shown at previous exhibitions. Mayor Macdonald's prize of his neighbor Southdowns, recently imported, were greatly admired by the judges of the woolly favorites and the worthy mayor was much congratulated on his skill in selection and enterprise in making such a valuable addition to the live stock of the district. The Cattle Cup, which last year was held by Messrs. Thompson, was awarded to Mr. Chas. Robertson and the Sheep Cup was gained by the mayor.

How widely spread is the membership of the Lorne Agricultural Society is indicated by the fact that one of the prize cups goes to Clarke's Crossing and another to Carrot River—the two places being we presume something like a hundred and fifty miles apart! The show of pigs and poultry was limited in respect of numbers, but superior in quality, and agricultural produce other than grain was well represented—the bacon, butter and cheese being all up to the mark. Field roots were an excellent class. We may have seen larger potatoes at previous exhibitions, but never of finer quality or more handsome appearance. The prize seed was splendid specimen and as ex-president Miller remarked "it always takes a Scotchman to grow them to perfection." Garden vegetables were laid out in tempting array, and we think would have opened the eyes of some of our friends at a distance. In leather work and manufactures of the Lorne District there was the usual variety and time would fail as to tell of all the domestic productions—the mittens, the socks, the skeins of yarn, the bread, the jams and the jellies. We wish we could do justice to the attraction of the ladies' department which was a source of great interest throughout the day. Suffice it to say, everyone was delighted with the whole display, which compared most favorably with any former occasion. The fine arts department added this year for the first time made a very creditable start and we fully expect will be further heard of in future. Some very beautiful flowers were exhibited in the vegetable department, thus combining the ornamental and the useful in a most agreeable manner.

President Plaxton, assisted by Messrs. Agnew, Betts and Wm. Miller, Sen., directors, undertook the superintendence of the indoor branch, which was accommodated in Harris & Son's building, supplemented by a large marquee erected at the west end. Capt. Craig, assisted by Mr. Adams, Vice-President, and Messrs. Sifton, Loucks and McLean superintended the live stock department, which was conveniently located on and around Mr. Macle's grounds. The judges in the various classes kept steadily at work without interruption and finished their duties in good time. It is perhaps too much to expect there would be no disappointed exhibitors, but the decision appeared to us to meet with general approval from all outsiders. The exhibition as a whole was a decided success, which every member we are sure will agree with us in imputing is no small measure to the untiring energy of the indefatigable Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. A. H. Clark, whose enthusiasm in the work, business tact, urbanity and suavity of manner carry him successfully over the many difficulties that lie in the way of every one who occupies his onerous position.

For exhibition purposes the building and grounds occupied were as well adapted as any at present available, but it is a decided disadvantage to have the two branches so far apart, and for this as well as for other reasons which will readily occur to our readers we hope we may soon be enabled to consolidate the members of the society on the acquisition of grounds and buildings of their own.

THE DINNER

The usual dinner was held in the Queen's Hotel in the evening. The attendance of members and friends was unusually large, and the spacious dining hall of the Queen's was taxed to its utmost capacity.

W. Plaxton, Esq., President of the society, occupied the chair, and was supported by Judge McGuire, Mayor MacArthur, Supt. Perry, N. W. M. P. and Lieut.-Col. Sprout. The Hon. L. Clark sent an apology for non-attendance, and much sympathy and regret was felt for his absence. Capt. Gordon, Vice-President, presided at the dinner, supported by Sheriff Hughes, M. N. W. C., Mr. C. Adams, second Vice-President, Coun. Stewart, Mr. J. F. Betts, J. P. and Mr. A. H. Clark, Secretary-Treasurer.

Mr. Oram, as usual, produced an excellent menu, and although the unexpected number present was almost like to have caused a little confusion at times, the dinner passed off successfully and great good humor.

The chairman, who on rising was received with hearty applause, first offered a few introductory remarks appropriate to the occasion, and then in felicitous terms proposed the usual loyal and patriotic toasts. "The Queen and Royal Family" was received with enthusiasm, the company, led by Mr. J. L. Johnson, joining in the Queen's Anthem.

The chairman next gave "The Army, Navy and Reserve Forces," coupled

with Supt. Perry, N. W. M. P., and Col. Sprout, which was also received with cheers.

Supt. Perry replied briefly and with excellent effect on behalf of that branch of the public service with which he is connected, and referred to the cordial relations that existed between his command and the population of the district. He had been greatly pleased with the exhibition and, recognizing the vast importance of the agricultural interests in this country, wished well to the future of the Lorne Agricultural Society. Col. Sprout also replied in his usual happy manner, and from the standpoint of a farmer's son, addressed to the "hony-handed sons of toil" some excellent advice and good counsel, which were well received by the company. The chairman next proposed "The Dominion Government and North West Council," coupled with Sheriff Hughes, M. N. W. C. The sheriff had unfortunately to leave before this stage, and so was unable to respond. The toast was duly honored in his absence.

The crozier then proposed "The Bench and the Bar." With the first part of the toast he coupled the name of Judge McGuire, and in doing so alluded to the high character and standing of the Canadian Bench. The judges of the land necessarily received their appointments from the government of the day, but no body of men could be found more upright and honorable and so thoroughly sustained by partisanship. This, in addition to their acknowledged ability, rendered them, as a class, second to none. The judges of the North West Territories were men of whom the country was entitled to be proud. Three of them had presided in the local courts and made their mark in this district. Regarding Judge McGuire who had, much to their gratification, recently come to reside amongst them, he would not at present venture to say more than that he had already won the respect of the whole community and he might well be trusted to fully maintain the tone and traditions of his exalted profession.

Judge McGuire, on rising to respond, received quite an ovation of applause and made an eloquent reply. In expressing his thanks for the manner in which the toast had been proposed and received he would put aside his own individuality for the moment in order that he might also express his entire concurrence in the eulogium that had been pronounced by his friend the crozier upon the Judicial Bench of Canada. The Canadian judges were men of undoubted ability, probity and thorough independence, who discharged their duties without fear or favor. While not appropriating to himself more than a very modest share of the laudatory remarks that had been made on the North West judges, he wished to thank the company cordially in his own behalf and in the name of his colleagues. Regarding the business of the day, he had been delighted with the exhibition, which at once indicated the capabilities of the country and the skill and industry of the farmers. Being himself a son of the farm his whole sympathies were with the farming class. He recognized the agricultural interest as deserving of the utmost consideration, as it was and must long continue to be the mainstay of the country.

The crozier coupled "The Bar" with the name of Mr. W. V. Macle as senior member of the Prince Albert bar, and as a good friend of the Lorne Agricultural Society building. Mr. Macle made a brief but effective reply, thanking the company on behalf of the brethren and himself and further expressing his unabated interest in the welfare of the society. Mr. A. L. Sifton likewise replied, and expressed his opinion that this exhibition was the best of the three he had attended.

Mr. Betts proposed "The Lorne Agricultural Society," coupled with Mr. Plaxton, President, and Mr. Clark, Sec. Treasurer. Having referred to the good work the society had done and was doing, he paid a high compliment to Mr. Plaxton as a practical and successful farmer and a successful exhibitor, who worthily filled the highest office in the society. Of Mr. Clark he said that he had been the moving spirit not only of the exhibition, but of the whole society's operations. He was indispensable in promoting the society's interests, never sparing labour and grudging no pains in furthering its welfare.

Mr. Plaxton having briefly acknowledged the compliments paid to the society and to himself, Mr. Clark also replied, and gave some highly interesting

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statistics showing the progress of the society and its very satisfactory position financially.

The crumpler proposed "The Mayor and Corporation," and in coupling the toast with Mayor MacArthur, referred to him both as mayor and as a successful exhibitor and judge. Mr. MacArthur replied in very appropriate terms, and in doing so referred to some of the labors of the corporation. He also assured the company the corporation was fully alive to the importance of the society. Coun. Stewart also made a few remarks in reply.

Mr. Adams proposed "The Successful Exhibitors and Mr. Chas. Robertson." Mr. Robertson replied and referred to his experience as a pioneer, first in Quebec, then in Ontario, latterly in the North West—his conclusion being that a pioneer had more for his labor here than anywhere else he had had.

The crumpler proposed "The Judges," coupled with Capt. Hoy, Mr. Still and Mr. Connors. Capt. Hoy replied, and gave his opinion that the exhibition had been a decided success over all. In his own particular department, the horse class, some very fine animals had been shown and he wished to say his colleagues and he had got along very harmoniously and he trusted they had given everyone satisfaction. Mr. Connors followed and endorsed the captain's views as to the success of the exhibition. It had given him great pleasure to be present. Mr. Still also replied shortly, and spoke of the excellence of the exhibits in his department, roots and vegetables. He also complimented the Indians who had been successful competitors, and considered their appearance there as an indication of progress which was full of hope.

Mr. Clark too kindly speech proposed "Former Presidents," and in coupling it with the names of Mr. Wm. Miller, sen., alluded to the great interest he had taken in the affairs of the society during his tenure of office. Mr. Miller briefly replied, and related a few of his experiences.

At this stage of the proceedings it was suddenly discovered the hour was very late, and although he regretted to cut short the programme, the chairman judiciously brought this society meeting to a close, in deference to the convenience of those who had a long way to travel. The dinner was a usual conducted on temperance principles, but there was no lack of hilarity and rousing cheers. All present appeared to enjoy the meeting thoroughly from first to last.

"Then each took off his several way Resolved to meet some other day."

The following is:

PRIZE LIST.

HORSES.
Carriage horses, pair in harness—1st, J. M. Campbell, \$4; 2nd, W. Shipman, \$2.
Carriage horse, single, in harness, 1st, C. Thomson, \$3; 2nd, Nelson & McElth.

Agricultural and general purpose horse, brood mare—1st, J. Brown, \$3; 2nd, J. Brown, \$3.

Pair in harness, 1st, Alex. Hourie, \$5.
Heavy draught horse, brood mare—1st, R. F. Robertson, \$5; pair in harness, 1st, J. M. Campbell, \$5.

Native horses, mixed blood, brood mare—1st, J. H. Brown, \$1; 2nd, E. Spencer, \$5.
Pair in harness, 1st, T. H. Hourie, \$5.

Team matched native ponies, under 145 hands, special by Mr. MacIntyre, 1st, Wm. Shipman, \$5.

Colt, 1887—1st, J. A. Macdonald, \$5; 2nd, J. Brown, \$3.

One year old colt—1st, J. Brown, \$5; 2nd, J. Brown, \$3.

Two year old colt—1st, Wm. McElth, \$5; 2nd, Wm. Spencer, \$3.

Three year old colt—1st, T. T. Hourie, \$5.

Best 1887 colt, sire, Young Clear Grit, special by W. C. McKay, 1st, E. Spencer, \$5; 2nd, E. Spence, \$3.

Colt, 1887—Special by S. J. Donaldson, J. A. Macdonald, \$5.

Colt, 1887—Sire Western Farnol, special by W. Dilworth, J. Brown, \$5.

Stallion, heavy draught—1st, Wm. Dilworth, \$5; 2nd, J. M. Campbell, \$4.
Under three years, J. M. Campbell, \$4.

Roadster stallion—H. Mitchell, \$5.

Saddle horse—Special by Coun. Bratnaber, R. J. Pritchard, \$5.

Bull, aged, thoroughbred—1st, R. J. Pritchard, \$10; 2nd, Thomson Bros., \$5.

Bull, two years old, thoroughbred—C. Robertson and son, \$7.

Cow, thoroughbred, three years and up—E. J. Pritchard, \$5.

Heifer, thoroughbred, two years—Robertson and son, \$5.

Heifer, thoroughbred, 1 year old, 1st, Thomson Bros., \$3; 2nd, R. J. Pritchard, \$2.

Calf, 1887, Bull, thoroughbred—R. J. Pritchard, \$4.

GRACE.

Cow 3 years and up—1st, Thomson Bros., \$5; 2nd, R. J. Pritchard, \$3.

Bull, 1 year old—W. Miller, \$4.

Heifer, 2 years—1st, Thomson Bros., \$5; 2nd, Robertson and son, \$2.

Heifer, 1 year old—1st, Thomson Bros., \$3; 2nd, Thomson Bros., \$1.

Bull calf, 1887—1st, W. McCloy, \$3; 2nd, Thomson Bros., \$1.

Heifer calf, 1887—1st, Robertson and son, \$2; 2nd, R. J. Pritchard, \$1.

Cow and calf, special by Hon. L. Clarke, 1st, Robertson and son, \$10; 2nd, Thomson Bros., \$3.

Fat ox—1st, W. C. McKay, \$4; 2nd, W. Miller, \$2.

Fat cow—1st, Robertson and son, \$4; 2nd, A. Spence, \$2.

Pair fat cattle, special by Sheriff Hughes—1st, Robertson and son, \$7; 2nd, Thomson Bros.

Best herd of cattle—Robertson and son, Merchants' Challenge, Stock Cup.

SHEEP—LONG WOOLLEN.
Ram, aged—J. MacArthur, \$3.

Ram, shearing—Thomson Bros., \$2.

Ram lamb—1st, Robertson and son, \$2; 2nd, Thomson Bros., \$1.

Ewes, aged, two—1st, Thomson Bros., \$3; 2nd, Robertson and son, \$2.

Ewe, shearing—1st, Robertson and son, \$2; Thomson Bros., \$1.

Ewe lamb—1st, J. MacArthur, \$3; 2nd, Capt. Craig, \$2.

Shearing ram—1st, J. MacArthur, \$2; 2nd, Capt. Craig, \$1.

Ram lamb—1st, J. MacArthur, \$2; 2nd, Capt. Craig, \$1.

Ewes, aged—1st, J. MacArthur, \$3; 2nd, Thomson Bros., \$2.

Ewes, shearing—1st, J. MacArthur, \$2; 2nd, Robertson and son, \$1.

Ewe lamb—1st, J. MacArthur, \$2; 2nd, Thomson Bros., \$1.

Two fat ewes—1st, Thomson Bros., \$2; 2nd, J. MacArthur, \$1.

Two fat ewes—1st, J. Thomson, \$2; 2nd, J. MacArthur, \$1.

Pen consisting of 1 ram, 2 ewes, 2 ewe lambs, special by C. McKay, 1st, J. MacArthur, \$10; 2nd, Robertson and son, \$5.

Farmers' prize sheep cup, value \$75, two ewes, two aged ewes, two shearing ewes, two ewe lambs, special—J. MacArthur.

PIGS.
Berkshire boar, under six months, 1st, J. M. Campbell, \$4.

Berkshire sow, under six months, 1st, J. M. Campbell, \$3.

POULTRY.
Pair Leghorns, R. F. Robertson, \$1.

Pair turkeys—1st and 2nd, J. McColl, \$3.

Pair geese—1st and 2nd, J. McColl, \$3.

Plymouth Rocks—1st, J. McColl, \$1; 2nd, J. MacArthur, \$1.

Plymouth Rocks—Pair over one year, one pair 1887, special by Sheriff Hughes, J. MacArthur, \$5.

BACON.
Best ham—A. Cameron, \$5.

Best 10 lbs. bacon—A. Cameron, \$5.

Best home cured bacon—special by D. H. Macdonald, M. J. A. Cameron, \$10.

GRAIN.
Red Eye wheat—1st, Okamas, \$3; 2nd, Cassell Bros., \$2.

White oats—1st, John Flett, \$2; 2nd, Cassell Bros., \$1.

Barley—1st, Okamas, \$2; 2nd, Cassell Bros., \$1.

Peas, special—Cassell Bros., \$1.

Two bushels each wheat, oats and barley. Special by the Hudson's Bay Co., silver cup—Cassell Bros.

Barley, two bushels, special by O. E. Hughes, M. N. W. C.—Hearty, \$5.

Two bushels wheat, special by Mr. Thomas McKay—Okamas, \$5.

POTATOES.
Potatoes, early ones—1st, A. Cameron, \$2; 2nd, Peter Sinclair, \$1.

Potatoes, of Helton—1st, Mrs. Cameron, \$2; 2nd, H. G. Hutchinson, \$1.

Potatoes, morning star—H. G. Hutchinson, \$2.

Potatoes, Pearl of Savoy—F. Orr, \$2.

Turnip, Swede—1st, Capt. Craig, \$1; 2nd, James Craig, \$1.

Mangold Wurzel, red—1st, H. G. Hutchinson, \$1; 2nd, James Craig, \$1.

Carrots, white—1st, Capt. Craig, \$1; 2nd, A. Cameron, \$1.

GARDEN VEGETABLES.
Carrots, vary variety—1st, Capt. Craig, \$1; 2nd, James Craig, \$1.

Onion from seed—1st, Wm. Plaxton, \$1; 2nd, Capt. Craig, \$1.

English potato onions—1st, A. Cameron, \$1; 2nd, W. Miller, \$1.

Picking onions—1st, Capt. Craig, \$1; 2nd, J. Craig, \$1.

Long blood beets—1st, Capt. Craig, \$1; 2nd, A. Cameron, \$1.

Turnip blood beet—1st, Dr. Bain, \$1; 2nd, Capt. Craig, \$1.

Tomatoes—1st, H. G. Hutchinson, \$1; 2nd, Wm. Plaxton, \$1.

Cabbage—1st, Peter Sinclair, \$1; 2nd, Wm. Plaxton, \$1.

Lettuce—1st, W. Miller, \$1; 2nd, W. Plaxton, \$1.

Endive—1st, H. G. Hutchinson, \$1; 2nd, H. G. Hutchinson, \$1.

Cailliflower—1st, W. Miller, \$1; 2nd, H. G. Hutchinson, \$1.

Parsnips—1st, Wm. Plaxton, \$1; 2nd, H. G. Hutchinson, \$1.

Pumpkins—Peter Sinclair, \$1.

Mangold, yellow gold, special—H. G. Hutchinson, \$1.

Corn, special—H. G. Hutchinson, \$1.

Celery—1st, Wm. Plaxton, \$1; 2nd, H. G. Hutchinson, \$1.

Salady, special—Dr. Bain, \$1.

Collection vegetables, special by Capt. Craig, 1st, F. Orr, \$2; 2nd, H. G. Hutchinson, \$3.

Red cabbage, special—W. Miller, \$1.

Top onions, special—W. Miller, \$1.

Collection garden vegetables, special by W. Stobart & Co.—Hearty, \$5.

BUTTER.
Butter, not less than 20 lbs.—1st, Mrs. McCloy, \$4; 2nd, Mrs. Sullivan, \$2.

Butter—prints, pats and rolls, special by Mr. T. McKay—1st, Mrs. Hoy, \$3; 2nd, Mrs. Sullivan, \$2.

Butter, packed before 1st of August, special by racks & (wagons)—1st, Mrs. D. Sullivan, \$5; 2nd, Mrs. Hoy, \$2.

Home made cheese—1st, Robertson and son, \$3; 2nd, G. Conner, \$2.

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Pair woolen socks—Mrs. Cameron, \$1.

Pair woolen mittens—1st, Mrs. E. Spence, \$3; 2nd, Mrs. Capt. Hoy, \$2.

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Woolen mittens, wool grown, spun, carded and knitted in Saskatchewan district, special by Mr. J. M. Campbell—1st, Mrs. John Flett, \$4; 2nd, Mrs. Edwin Spence, \$2.

Woolen gloves, home made, wool grown in Saskatchewan, special—Mrs. Capt. Hoy, \$1.

Skein double yarn—Mrs. William McElth, \$1.

Skein of double yarn, product of Saskatchewan, special by Mayor MacArthur—Mrs. Wm. McElth, \$1.

Pair of men's woolen drawers, wool grown and spun in Saskatchewan, Mrs. A. Spence, \$2.

Woolen mat, special—Mrs. Cameron, \$1.

Bread, special by J. L. Johnson & Co.—1st, Miss Clara Taylor, \$3; 2nd, Miss Riza McElth, \$2.

Collection of pickles, special—Mrs. Stron, \$1.

Soft soap, home made, special—Rev. Mr. Campbell, \$2.

Strawberry syrup, special—Mrs. A. L. Stron, \$2.

Jams, home made, swatberry—1st, Mrs. Sullivan, \$2; 2nd, gooseberry and strawberry, Mrs. Cameron, \$1.

Jelly, cranberry—1st, Mrs. — \$2; 2nd, muscovado, Mrs. Sullivan, \$1.

Collection of jams and jellies, special by Coun. Agnew—Mrs. Cameron, \$1.

Collection trimmings' work—1st, T. J. Agnew, \$5; 2nd, T. J. Agnew, \$1.

LADIES' DEPARTMENT.
Bead work—Miss Laura Pritchard, \$1.

Patch quilt—Mrs. Lyttie, \$1.

Fancy table mat, special by Hon. L. Clarke, Miss N. Graves, \$1.

Wall bracket—1st, Mrs. J. F. Kenne dy, \$2; 2nd, Miss Laura Pritchard, \$1.

Crayon drawings—1st, Miss Hayes, \$2; 2nd, Miss Macdonald, \$1.

Scrap drawing—Miss Pritchard, \$2.

Old painting on silk or satin—Miss Clara Taylor, \$2.

Sofa cushion, special by Hon. L. Clarke—1st, Mrs. Betty, \$2; 2nd, Miss Hayes, \$1.

Toilet cushion—1st, Miss Pritchard, \$2; 2nd, Mrs. Sullivan, \$1.

Handkerchief box—Miss Hayes, \$2.

Flannel shirt, special by Capt. Craig—Mrs. Lyttie, \$2.

Plain sewing by girl under 14 years—1st, Miss Laura Pritchard, \$1; 2nd, Miss Cameron, \$1.

Child's apron, girl under 10 years—Miss Olive Miller, \$1.

Mantle drape, special—1st, Mrs. T. Dwyer, \$3; 2nd, Mrs. J. F. Kennedy, \$2.

Fancy table cover, special by Mrs. T. Swanton, 1st, Mrs. Betty, \$3; 2nd, Mrs. Sifton, \$2.

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